

## Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 NAIROB 13392 081617Z  
ACTION OES-09

INFO OCT-01 AF-10 EUR-12 IO-14 ISO-00 PM-05 COME-00  
DODE-00 INT-05 NSF-02 /058 W  
-----017492 081832Z /47

P R 081425Z SEP 78  
FM AMEMBASSY NAIROBI  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 377  
INFO AMEMBASSY PARIS  
USMISSION GENEVA  
AMEMBASSY MOGADISCIO  
AMEMBASSY VICTORIA

UNCLAS NAIROBI 13392

E.O. 11652:N/A  
TAGS: TOCY, IOC, WMO, SO,KE  
SUBJ: R/V COLUMBUS ISELIN AND R/V RESEARCHER CLEARANCE

REF STATE 226476

1. DEPUTY SECRETARY SHITAKHA, GOK MINISTRY OF POWER AND COMMUNICATIONS (MOPC) INFORMED EMBOFF TODAY THAT GOK WILL GRANT CLEARANCE FOR VESSELS TO CONDUCT THEIR RESEARCH IN KENYA WATERS AND FOR NECESSARY PORT CALLS. HE SAID GOK METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT IS VERY INTERESTED IN PARTICIPATING IN RESEARCH PROJECT. IN ADDITION, SHITAKHA HAS CONTACTED KENYA NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY WHO HAVE ALSO EXPRESSED INTEREST IN HAVING AN OBSERVER ON BOARD.

2. EMBASSY HAVE SUBMITTED FINAL REQUEST TO GOK MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS FOR CLEARANCE. WILL ADVISE WHEN CLEARANCE IS GRANTED.  
LE MELLE

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01 jan 1994  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** PORT CLEARANCES, OCEANOGRAPHIC RESEARCH  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Draft Date:** 08 sep 1978  
**Decaption Date:** 01 jan 1960  
**Decaption Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** n/a  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:**  
**Disposition Date:** 01 jan 1960  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1978NAIROB13392  
**Document Source:** CORE  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** n/a  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** N/A  
**Errors:** N/A  
**Expiration:**  
**Film Number:** D780366-0982  
**Format:** TEL  
**From:** NAIROBI  
**Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Image Path:**  
**ISecure:** 1  
**Legacy Key:** link1978/newtext/t19780988/aaaacvcu.tel  
**Line Count:** 46  
**Litigation Code IDs:**  
**Litigation Codes:**  
**Litigation History:**  
**Locator:** TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM  
**Message ID:** 633c1054-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc  
**Office:** ACTION OES  
**Original Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Original Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Original Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Original Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Page Count:** 1  
**Previous Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Reference:** 78 STATE 226476  
**Retention:** 0  
**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 07 jun 2005  
**Review Event:**  
**Review Exemptions:** n/a  
**Review Media Identifier:**  
**Review Release Date:** n/a  
**Review Release Event:** n/a  
**Review Transfer Date:**  
**Review Withdrawn Fields:** n/a  
**SAS ID:** 1504305  
**Secure:** OPEN  
**Status:** NATIVE  
**Subject:** R/V COLUMBUS ISELIN AND R/V RESEARCHER CLEARANCE  
**TAGS:** TOCY, SO, KE, IOC, WMO  
**To:** STATE  
**Type:** TE  
**vdkgvwkey:** odbc://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS\_Docs/633c1054-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc  
**Review Markings:**  
Sheryl P. Walter  
Declassified/Released  
US Department of State  
EO Systematic Review  
20 Mar 2014  
**Markings:** Sheryl P. Walter Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 20 Mar 2014